MOY KEE WAS HOT

He Dengunced the Chinese Im-

May Kee, a wealthy and influential Chinaman of Chicago, was in the city yesterday in the interest of flam Wing and Hung Hing, two celestials arrested some time ago in Ludington for violating the Chinese exclusion act, whose case was brought up in the United States court yesterday on a hearing on an application to be admitted to bail pending a decision of the United States caprene court on an appeal. The men were admitted to bailin the sum of \$1,000 each, with cureties in this city who were secured by May Kee. Mr. Kee ented to a reporter for Tax Hanato last evening that he had been working in cases where his countrymen had been held on an arrest for illegal residence in the United States in various states in the union. It was through his personal efforts that the immigration act was declared unconstitutional by Judge R. R. Nelson of Duluth in the case of Ah Luk. He has been a resident of Chicago for thirty years, and is a prosperous cigar manufacturer there. He employs from twelve to twenty men in his factory and has the appearance of being a shrewd business man. Contrary to the custom of most Chinamen, May Kee brought his wife with him to this country and carries her picture in a locket attached to his watch chain. He still keeps his "pig tail," but foilows the American style of dress. He speaks the English language fairly well, including all of the common expletives in his excited conversation.

Denounces the Law. Denounces the Law.

While speaking of the Chinese immi-gration act he said: "You Americans claim to be christians, but this law shows you are not civilized. This is a shows you are not civilized. This is a bad government. You would not use your dog like you treat Chinamen. This law will be declared unconstitutional by the supreme court, and that Brewster will get himself into trouble if he attempts to take acy more Chinamen to San Francisco. See? If D. E. Corbett, the attorney who had the case, had known any law, these boys would have been admitted to bail long ago. When I get after them they will know their business."

Mr. Kee, in speaking of world's fair matters, said the Chinese government will not make an exhibit at the world's will not make an exhibit at the world's fair on account of the attitude of the United States government toward Chinese immigration. There will be a Chinese village there showing the mode of living in China, and a few Chinese merchants will exhibit their wares independent of the government. Mr. Kee has been appointed interpreter at the big fair by Wah, Mee & Co., and wears his official badge. He left for Chicago last night.

City News in Brief.

The hour appointed for the funeral of the late Frank Kelly has been changed from that previously announced. The services will take place from his late residence, southeast corner of Wealthy avenue and Union street, at 11:30 a. m. today. Mr. Kelly was a well-known traveling man, and it is expected that a large number of his associates will attend.

The Central Employment Bureau has removed from the new Houseman block to rooms 32 and 33 old Houseman block. Mes. J. G. Moore, formerly with the Grand Rapids Employment Bureau at 28 Canal street, has been engaged as

S. S. Chamberlain, for several years a well known constable in this city, and his cousin, W. N. Chamberlain of Romeo, have formed a real estate partnership and will open offices next week in the old county building.

At the regular meeting of Company E next Monday night a director will be elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of J. W. Hannen. The proposed revision of the constitution will also be considered.

William Phelps was arrested last night on a warrant by Detectives Gast and Jakeway for stealing an overcoat belong-ing to a painter employed on the resi-dence of Mrs. Ward at No. 181 Crescent

The Sunday school of the city mission on Waterleo street will give "The Kemi-niscences of the Drummer Boy" and a musical entertainment at the mission this evening. Admission free to all,

The officers of the Art association report a very good attendance at the art shibit this week, though it is hardly up to what might be expected, considering the character of the exhibit.

Hiram Nutting died Wednesday night of Bright's disease at his daughter's home. No. 282 Twelfth street. He was 72 years old and had lived here fifty. eight years.

The question of a site is the leading

one at present with the promoters of the proposed Masonic temple. A haif dozen are being considered. Articles of association were filed yes

terday by the Universal Tool company, with a capital stock of \$40,000, of which \$4,500 is paid. The steamer Barrett will make her

first trip of the season to Grand Haven

It's pretty chilly, but we are doing a

Compare.

A careful comparison of Dr. Price's Delicious Flavoring Fatracts with the other flavoring extracts offered for sale, will convince any person that for strength, purity, delicate and natural flavor,



are far superior. Ladies of tace once having enjoyed the delicakes, puddings, creams, etc., by Dr. Price's Vanilla or Lemon Extract, could not be induced to use any other.

The Innee Riffer gave a descring purty and exhibition drill in their armory last night. At 16 o'clock Captain Bosses and authors non gave an expert client frill. Lieutemant Cline followed with a light-

Mrs. M. Virginia Adams left yesterday for Tolado as delegate to the Young Women's Christian affectation conven-tion. She expects to gather ideas of the work which will be uneful in establish-ing an association here.

I. M. Weston has gone to Chicago with the other Michigan commissioners to be prepared to do the honors at the opening of the Michigan building.

W. N. Rowe and Jessie Owen of the Valley City Milling company are in Chicago on business connected with the ilrm. They will return tomorrow.

W. S. Gunn is in New York attending the naval review. He will visit Chicago before his return and attend the open-ing of the world's fair.

Mrs. J. L. Burkart of Big Rapids will visit friends here next week and join a world's fair party later to visit the Mrs. Etta Yale and Miss Belle Cham-berlain will leave for Chicago within the next few weeks to study music with Mr.

Ellis Gray of the Grand opera house has gone to Indianapolis to attend the funeral of his brother.

Mrs. L. M. Frank of Ogden, Utah, is risiting Mrs. C. E. Croff of Lyon street.

Elder L. G. Moore, the Seventh Day Adventist pastor, has been transferred to Lansing by order of the Michigan conference. He will be succeeded here by William Ostrander of Allegan. The Lansing church is small and he is expected to build it up as he has the Grand Rapids church.

A conundrum supper will be given at the Calvary baptist church, corner South Ionia and Sixth avenue, Friday evening the 28th. Among the attrac-tions of the evening will be Master Col-vin and Miss Blanche Minderhout. Everybody invited.

The Rev. J. T. Husted, for five years pastor of the Plainfield avenue congregational church, has accepted a call for another year from the church.

Society News.

Members of Joy memorial church are preparing a program for a grand enter-tainment for the benefit of the church to be given Friday evening, May 12. Comstock Tent will give a hop in Red Men's hall, No. 55 West Bridge street,

The Bicycle club will give its closing party next Wednesday night in the club-

Varied and Pleasing.

Mrs. Godfrey's "Ten" of the Park con-gregational church entertained friends by a musical at the residence of Mrs. William McBain, No. 285 Crescent ave-nue, last evening. The program was as follows:

"The Lost Chord" Sullivan
Misses Steinman, Thompson, Smith
and Milburn.
"The Spinning-Room Story" Kolling
Miss Littlefield.

"The Loreley"

Miss Bradley.

Miss Martin, accompanist.

Duet from piano and mandolin

Mrs. and Miss Fallass.

"Behold the Hilltop"

Mrs. Bradley and Mr. Beneker.

"Valse Caprice"

Miss Colwell,

"Cherette"

"Cherette" Roeckel
Mr. Beneker.

Will Dedicate Tomorrow. The program of the dedication of the Michigan world's fair building tomor-row is as follows:

Presentation to the Governor.

The Hon, I. M. Weston
Response by the Governor.

The Hon, John T. Rich
Address.

The Hon, John T. W. Palmer
Address.

The Hon, George R. Davis
Address.

The Hon J. A. Angeil Ex Governor Winans, the Hop. J. Wright Ciddings, lieutenant governor; the Hon. W. A. Tateum, speaker of the house of representatives; the Hon. F. J. V. Skiff, the Hon. H. N. Higinbotham, the Hon. J. C. Burrows, the Hon. J. A. Hubbell and others will also make short addresses. There will be music, refreshments and a social gathering in the

Trouble in the Choir.

For some time past considerable trou-ble has arisen over the choir service in the Division Street M. E. church, and kicks came so rapidly and with such momentum that Prof. Langdon, the leader, handed in his resignation to the church committee on music. This committee held a meeting to consider the matter and decided not to accept the professor's resignation, but that the choir must be reorganized with a quar-tet. The professor has decided to re-main, and negotiations are pending with two or three talented singers for positions in the quartet.

Tom Montd Likes 'Em. There's one thing I like about a ticket scalper, said Tom Mould, chief clerk in the general passenger agent's office of the G. R. I. yesterday, as he

laid down a paper containing an ac-count of the proceedings of the National Association of Ticket Brokers. They have several vices and they don't always play fair. They may into our business every time they get a chance, and raise Satan generally; but they never ask for

Lorsdo Taft, Baptist church tonight,

Finch Temple Entertainment, Good Templars' half was well filled nightenp social given by Finch temple, Juvenile Templars. The following pro-gram was well rendered by the little folks who took part in it: Song, "Welcome," by the temple; praise solo, Miss Dens Snippe; recitation, Miss Anna Hansen, ever Miss Marquerite Bailey; prano diret Miss Daisy Young and Mrs. Martin; garden fairies, several little

STREET OPENING THOUSER.

arising indirectly from the extension of the city. The people of that neighborhood purchased their lots by meets and bounds, the small buyers reserving in their decis twenty five feet towards a street. Several buyers of large purcels made no such reservation and when the street came to be opened the heavy holders were awarded big damages by the superior court: enough in some cases to more than offset the assessments against them for their chars of the improvement. The others were assessed proportionately heavy to help pay the damages to the heavy holders, while some others who had not dedicated the ends of their loft fowards the street got but \$1 each, having been assured that their assessments would be light on account of their not appearing in the case to seek heavier damages.

There was still another party headed by Attorney Frank Holmes, whose property is west of Buchanan street, beyond the opening, who were also assessed, but who claim they ought not to pay anything for a street that's of no use to them. The matter was discussed in all its phases by nearly all hands and was finally left open another week to see what additional light could be obtained before making an appeal. These additions to the city are giving rise to many little difficulties of the kind. Even on parcels of land platted while in the townships and afterward taken into the city, the situation of streets, etc., is not absolutely permanent until the plat has been approved by the board of public works.

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The committee on sewers listened to the pros and cons of a sewer desired in East Fulton street, between Prospect street and College avenue, but nothing was decided.

ITS TREE PLANTING DAY. Everybody Should Set Out a Tree,

Today is arbor day, according to the governor's proclamation. In some of the public schools the tree planting custom will prevail, but if the day is observed no more than its predecessors there will be but few trees set out at this particu-

be but few trees set out at this particular time on private grounds.

George W. Thomson president of the Hill Tree association is, as usual, a notable exception to the prevailing indifference. Arbor day is with him a real genuine holiday, and to witness the planting of a sapling is the crowning pleasure of his life. He says that the association hasn't urged its object much yet on account of the backwardness of the spring, but it is hoped that Arbor Day will give tree planting a good start. The association has already done a good work in agitating tree planting not only in the hill district but elsewhere, and also in acting as a free bureau of information on the subject.

The governor in his proclamation

The governor in his proclamation most earnestly recommends "the plant-ing of trees, shrubs and flowers, that homes, highways and public places may be improved and adorned, and future generations benefited."

ARTHUR WOOD'S FUNERAL.

Numerous Friends Followed His Mortal Remains Yesterday.

The remains of Arthur Wood were borne to their last resting place in Val-ley City cemetery yesterday, followed by a host of old friends and members of the Masonic fraternity. The house was crowded with old residents and other criewded with old residents and other friends at the services. The casket was covered with flowers and the occasion was one which showed the sincere re-gard in which the deceased was held. The Rev. McRoberts of the Smith memorial church conducted the service. His remarks were on the line of thought that death is a gift, especially as a relief to a life of responsibility and care when it comes so peacefully as in the case of

deceased.

It was a gift to him of a new life in which he had long believed. The speaker said he grew more and more to believe that christianity was less in words than in deeds, such as visiting the afflicted and keeping one's self "unspotted from the world." That Mr. Wood was such a man was told in the daily newspapers, by his every acquaintance and by his life career. He was of the unostentatious, yet useful character, who bore his own infirmities and troubles without complaint and with a cheerful spirit, yet ready to assist others at all times.

complaint and with a cheerful spirit, yet ready to assist others at all times. While it was a loss to home, wife and sons, it was also a gift to them of the hope of meeting him in our eternal home at last. A quartet choir sang several appropriate selections.

Over fifty members of the Masonic lodges arrived in a body during the service, and at its close six of them carried the casket out onto the lawn, where it was viewed by the others. The recent was viewed by the others. The procession was a long one, including a great variety of conveyances.

STRIKE AND BAD WEATHER Conspire to the General Duliness of

the Mason Trade. The principal occupation of many of the bricklayers is still that of sitting about headquarters discussing the situation and telling stories. The weather ation and telling stories. The weather of late has combined with the strike to acid to the duliness of the business. For all that, the men feel that they have little to fear. They claim that not a workman has struck the city this week from outside, and that the fact that there is a strike on is so generally known now that the men stay away.

Contractor Vincent, who works his men but eight hours, has the Royston Straw Goods company's big job, so that job will go along rapidly. The men are working eight hours on the Rood estate building on Campau street. The build ings on which nine hours are worked are kept moving, but very slowly. The work-men are on the lookout for small jobs and manage to keep quite a few men

HOW THEY SAVE MONEY.

Women of Westminster Church Will Bay a New Carpet.

The Christian Workers, composed of women of the Westminster church, rescired some time ago that by various methods of self-privation they would raise money enough to buy a new carpet for the church. Last eight they held a meeting in the pariors of the church to compare notes of progress and make re-ports of the degree of success attending their work. The sum of \$20 was put into the fund last night. This amount was accumulated in sums of \$1 from

MAY NOW PUMP WATER

The Mydraelic Plant Again to Pa sion of the Company. sion of the Company.

Microbes will be served up for bound fast this moraing by the Hydraulic company, as usual, after a few days' mages at some a secount of the legal interference of Sheriff Lamoreaux. The Hydraulic company's office has been in the possess in the second of the sheriff on an execution issued by the circuit court on a judgment for \$24,000 given the Gloucester Iron worths. Last night the sheriff turned the plant over to Robert 1. Shoemaker, superintendent of the company, as his agent. The sheriff was given a receipt for the same, containing a clause giving the efficer authority to assume control at any time. This course was taken for the purpose of giving the company the right to operate the plant so that it may be earning something for the parties concerned.

Contagious Discusses.

Nettie Hesseltine, No. 290 Watson street, typhoid fever; Mrs. Cary, No. 149 Monroe street, same; Jack Dunlop, No. 14 East Bridge street, measles; Roy C. Petty, No. 305 Fourth street, measles; Jennie Quigley, No. 170 Butterworth avenue, diphtheria; Hall Merrill, No. 120 College avenue, scarletina; B. Miller, No. 120 Logan street, typhoid fever; K. Phillips and H. Phillips, No. 673 Jefferson avenue, typhoid fever.

Burial Permits. Jason Noyes, Talmage, Union Center, Wisconsin; Frank L. Kelly, No. 618 Wealthy avenue, Lawrence, Michigan.

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"Where Is Purgatory?" "Where Is Purgatory?"

Next Sunday, at Hartman's hall, the noted anti-Jesuit and ex-Romanist preacher, Rev. Evangelist Leyden, will deliver two more great lectures, as follows: Afternoon, at 2:30, to ladies and gentlemen. Subject—"Where is Purgatory, and What Is It?" Evening, at 7:30, to men only. Subject—"The Debasing Secret Theology of the Priesthood, as Used in the Confessional, Unveiled." No true American should fail to hear him. See advertisement.

Eliza A. Burnham will give her lecture on the "Forces of the Universe" at the chapel of the Western Michigan college on Saturday, April 29, at 3 o'clock p. m. The clergy of the city are invited.

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See the "Early Birds" burlesque show at Smith's opera house Sunday evening.

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Indigection and Dyspopola I had very little appetite, and when I did out suffered very severely with masses and distress in my stomach. At times I had very severe headaches, and in the mornings would have that tired feeling and feel is dill and spirits-bess that I fett no inclination to attend my bush-

Hood's Cures ness. But I found in Hood's Sursaparilla a true friend. It seemed to give strength to my weak stomach, restored my appetite, and assisted digestion, so that I can how eat hearthy and cajoy it. With the disappearance of my indigec-tion I have also felt

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